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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: David Leslie et al. :  
: Art Unit: 3627  
Serial No.: 09/777,057 :  
: Examiner: Bartuska, Francis John  
Filed: February 5, 2001 :  
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For: NETWORK BASED :  
PARALLELING SWITCHGEAR :  
EQUIPMENT :  
CONFIGURATION PROCESS :

Commissioner for Patents  
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Amendment Transmittal (3 pages)  
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2. Applicant  
☐ claims small entity status.  
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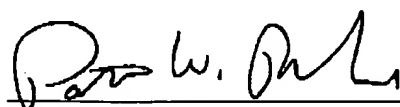
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## EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> third month	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00
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Fee: \$950.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

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Extension fee due with this request \$950.00

OR

- (b) — Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

**FEE FOR CLAIMS**

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEP.	MINUS	-		x \$43 = \$		x \$86 = \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$145 = \$		+ \$290 = \$
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$

- (a) ☒ No additional fee for Claims is required

OR

- (b) \_\_\_\_\_ Total additional fee for claims required \$

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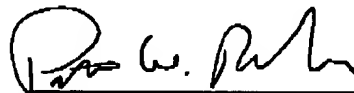
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6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

AND/OR

- ☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.
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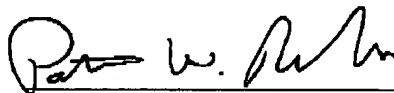
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